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SUBJ: BANNED TRADE UNIONIST DEPARTS SOUTH AFRICA

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1. ACCORDING PRESS REPORTS, DAVID DAVIS (FORMER ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER FOR GENERAL FACTORY WORKERS BENEFIT FUND BANNED 1 FEB -REFTEL) ENTERED BOTSWANA 5 APR. ALTHOUGH DAVIS UNDER HOUSE ARREST AND RESTRICTED TO DURBAN MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT (REFAIR), AUTHORITIES APPARENTLY FAILED CONFISCATE SA PASSPORT ON WHICH HE TRAVELED TO BOTSWANA.

2. "NEWS" REPORT FURTHER CLAIMS DAVIS NOW "PROVIDED GRANTPOLICE PROTECTION BY BOTSWANA OFFICIALS" AS HE FEARS SAG "KIDNAP ATTEMPT" TO RETURN HIM TO SOUTH AFRICA. IN ADDITION, REPORTS INDICATE DAVIS HAS APPROACHED BRITISH HIGH COMMISSION IN GABORONE SEEKING "POLITICAL ASYLUM".

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